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Mr. Churchill's War Review

AIR DOMINATION OF GERMANY

Allies' Year of Triumphs

REVIEWING a year of "almost unbroken success" on land, sea and in the air, Mr. Winston Churchill yesterday told the British House of Commons:—

"I cannot recollect anything so complete and prolonged as the series of victories which have attended our Allied arms in almost every theatre."

The "knocking out" of Italy this year had been decided last May, but no one expected it to be so rapidly achieved.

Mr. Churchill forecast the "saturation" of Germany's air defences and the destruction of every German military target. He said the havoc already wrought by the R.A.F. was "indescribable."

"Almost exactly a year ago, on September 23, began the heavy action which resulted in Rommel's decisive repulse," said Mr. Churchill. "A month later the Desert Army won the hard and prolonged Battle of Alamein, and set forth upon its immortal march—a march not yet completed.

"From that time on, for a whole year, we and our great Allies have had almost unbroken success by land, by sea, and in the air.

"At the same time that the Desert Army has been making its great advance, with the conquest of north-west Africa and Sicily, the Russian armies have advanced on a thousand miles of front from the Volga almost to the Dnieper—a distance in many places of more than 500 miles—driving before them with prodigious slaughter the hordes of Germans who had invaded their country and inflicted so many indescribable barbarities upon its inhabitants.

BOMB HAVOC

"This same year victory on land has been accompanied by an ever-increasing mastery of the air by the British, Americans, and Russians over the enemy in Europe. The weight of bombs discharged by the Royal Air Force on Germany in the last twelve months is three times that of the preceding twelve months. The weight of bombs discharged in the last three months is half as great again as that of the preceding three months.

"The almost total systematic destruction of many of the centres of German war effort continues on a greater scale and at a greater pace. The havoc wrought is indescribable.

"The effect upon the German war production in all its forms, and upon U-boat building, are matched by those produced upon the life and economy of the whole of that guilty organisation.

"There has been an enormous diversion of German energy from the war fronts to internal defence against air attacks, and the offensive power of the enemy has been notably crippled thereby.

"The enemy is increasingly compelled to concentrate on building fighter aircraft and night-fighter aircraft for home defence at the expense of his bomber production. He is also forced to save his strength so far as possible on all the fighting fronts, and is, therefore, restricted to a far lower rate of activity than we and our allies maintain. Thus he throws the burden increasingly upon his fully-occupied ground forces.

"The Royal Air Force alone is at present maintaining in action throughout the war scene in all the theatres nearly fifty per cent. more first-line aircraft than Germany." In addition to this there was the United States Air Force in Great Britain.

The Anglo-American supply of new aircraft exceeded German aircraft supply by more than four to one.

1944 PROSPECT

"The continued progress of Anglo-American preponderance opens the possibilities of saturating the German defences both on the ground and in the air If a certain degree of saturation can be reached, a reaction of the most far-reaching character will be produced.

"We shall, in fact, create conditions under which, with small loss to ourselves, actual methodical destruction, by day and night, of every military target of significance in the widest sense will become possible. This destruction by the Anglo-American forces is not necessarily beyond our reach, even in 1944, with consequences, if it is attained, which cannot be measured and must certainly be profound."

Italian Front a "Preliminary"

"I HAVE never regarded this African operation as a substitute for a direct attack across the Channel upon the Germans in France or the Low Countries.

"On the contrary, the opening of this new front in the Mediterranean was always intended to be an essential preliminary to the main attack on Germany and her ring of subjugated and satellite States."

—MR. CHURCHILL.

"Italian People Will Be Rescued"

MR. CHURCHILL at Westminster yesterday said that he had not the slightest hesitation or doubt about the view of the country in respect of the Government's policy regarding Italy, "which we are determined to carry through with the utmost vigour." He said: "The Italian people have already suffered terribly. Their manhood has been cast away in Africa and Russia. Their soldiers have been deserted in the field; we have seen that ourselves. Their wealth has been squandered; their empire lost—irretrievably lost.

"Now their own beautiful homeland must become a battlefield for German rearguards. Even more suffering lies ahead. They are to be pillaged and terrorised in Hitler's fury and revenge. Nevertheless, as the armies of the British Empire and United States march forward in Italy—as we shall march—the Italian people will be rescued from the state of servitude and degradation, and will be enabled, in due course, to regain their rightful place among the free democracies of the modern world.

"I cannot touch upon this matter of Italy without exposing myself to the question I shall most properly be asked—Would you apply this line of argument to the German people? The case is different. Twice in our lifetime, and also three times in that of our fathers', they have plunged the world into their wars of expansion and aggression. They combine in the most deadly manner the qualities of the warrior and the slave.

"We are coming to the rescue and liberation of Italy. We are prepared to place large armies in Italy and to deploy a wide, active fighting front against the enemy on whatever lines he chooses to resist, and to maintain the offensive against him with increasing weight and vigour, if need be throughout the autumn and winter and beyond."

British Prelate in Moscow Ceremony

The Archbishop of York yesterday participated at the celebration of the Nativity of the Madonna in Moscow's old Yelokhov Cathedral.

Revolution Effected at Sea

MR. CHURCHILL, in the course of his address, stressed the revolution effected in the position at sea. He said:—

"The monthly statements issued deserve close attention. I have little to add to them to-day; but it is a fact that for the four months which ended on September 18 no merchant vessel was sunk by enemy action in the North Atlantic.

"The month of August was the lowest month which we have ever had since the United States entered the war. In the first fortnight of September no Allied ships were sunk by U-boat action in any part of the world. This is altogether unprecedented in the whole history of the U-boat struggle, either in this war or the last.

"Naturally, I do not suggest for a moment that this immunity or anything like it could possibly continue. A new herd of U-boats has been coming out in the last week or so into the Atlantic from their bases in France and Germany, and they have, no doubt, been fitted with what is thought to be the best and latest apparatus. We for our part have not been idle, and we await this renewal of the conflict, which, in fact, has already begun—one convoy is being attacked at the present time—with sober confidence. If they attack the convoys we shall be able to attack the U-boats.

U-BOAT A DAY

"In spite, however, of the reduced number of U-boats, which have been at work since the 'May massacre,' rarely a day passes without us getting one of these ill-starred vessels. Moreover, United States and British air attacks on the German bases and building yards, and on the factories where the component parts are made, have definitely reduced the rate of production of U-boats in Germany. The high percentage of killings has certainly affected the morale of the U-boat crews, and many of the most experienced U-boat captains have been drowned or are prisoners in British and American hands.

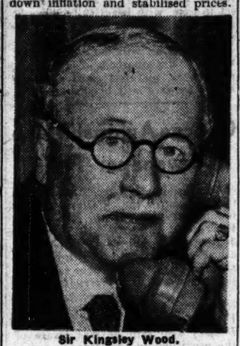
"Should the present favourable condition hold, we shall soon have replaced all losses suffered by the United Nations since the beginning of the war.

"The favourable position now enjoyed has enabled a larger number of faster ships to be built. The House will also realise that we have taken advantage of the lull in U-boat attacks to bring in the largest possible convoys and to replenish our resources."

Death of British Chancellor

SIR KINGSLEY WOOD, Chancellor of the British Exchequer since 1940, died suddenly from heart failure at his flat yesterday morning in London. He was 62. An hour after his death became known he was due to make a statement in the House of Commons, announcing that he had decided to adopt a pay-as-you-earn income tax scheme for certain classes of wage-earners.

As Chancellor, Sir Kingsley had to impose burdens incomparably greater than the taxpayer had ever been called upon to bear. Income tax and the prices of beer, tobacco and cigarettes rose to record high levels under his Budget proposals; but credit must in large measure go to him for the way in which he kept down inflation and stabilised prices.



Sir Kingsley Wood.

Sir Kingsley entered Parliament in 1918 as Conservative member for West Woolwich. His first Ministerial post was in 1931, when he was appointed Postmaster-General. Later, as Minister for Health, he introduced many notable reforms. Subsequently he was Air Minister and Lord Privy Seal.

At the sitting of the House of Commons yesterday Mr. Churchill expressed the profound regret of the House at the death of Sir Kingsley Wood, and suggested that at the next sitting day they should pay a more formal tribute to one of its distinguished members, who was holding an office of the greatest consequence in the peculiar stresses of the present war.

Mr. Churchill will have to appoint a successor as Chancellor with little delay. Already Mr. Herbert Morrison, Home Secretary, is being mentioned, but the question arises whether he would care for the change, and whether the Conservative Party would approve. Captain Crookshank, Postmaster-General, formerly Financial Secretary to the Treasury—the Chancellor's understudy—has some claim to consideration, but it is perhaps unlikely that the Chancellorship will go to a junior Minister. Sir Andrew Duncan or Mr. Oliver Lyttelton is also a possible choice.

SECOND FRONT SOON

"Bloodiest Portion of the War Ahead"

GENERAL GEORGE MARSHALL, United States Chief of Staff, said, at Omaha, Nebraska, yesterday, that 'a great offensive, in which the full strength of America's armed forces will be hurled against the enemy in Asia and Europe, is just about to begin.

According to the Associated Press Washington Bureau, General Marshall has been tentatively appointed "virtual Global C.-in-C. of all Anglo-American ground, sea and air forces in the field."

Mr. Churchill also referred to the second front in his speech yesterday. He said:—

"The bloodiest portion—make no mistake about it—the bloodiest portion of this war for Great Britain and the United States lies ahead of us. Neither the House nor H.M. Government will shrink from that ordeal.

"I decline to discuss at all the question of where, how, and on what scale the main assault from the west will be launched. And I trust, and am confident, that the House will support H.M. Government in this attitude.

THE THIRD FRONT

"I call this front we have opened first in Africa, next in Sicily and now in Italy, the third front. The second front, which already exists potentially and which is rapidly gathering weight, has not yet been engaged. But it is here, a holding force in its front, and I am not going to hint at the moment when it will be engaged, but the second front exists, and is a main pre-occupation already with the enemy.

"It has not yet been thrown into play. On the day when we and our American Allies judge to be the right time this front also will be thrown open and thrown into play, and the mass invasion of the continent from the west, in combination with the invasion from the south, will begin."

The Associated Press reporter states that when the announcement of General Marshall's appointment will be forthcoming, from London or Washington, is uncertain. He could say, however, that the nomination of the American Chief of Staff for the task was, perhaps, the major decision reached at Quebec.

"If it meets final approval of the London War Cabinet, as is expected, it will put Marshall at the head of a super-global field command, with authority to co-ordinate aggressive action on all fronts, under Quebec's strategic directives."

In his speech at Omaha General Marshall said:—

"Now, at last, we are ready to carry the war to the enemy all over the seas, thank God, with a power and force that we hope will bring this conflict to an early conclusion.

"But, please, remember that this phase is just about to begin—a point which seems not to be understood by our people here at home, possibly because they are far removed from the agonies of war, except for those whose sons or husbands have been engaged in the fighting."

Big Battle Imminent in Italy

A MAJOR battle is believed imminent in Italy following the Allies' capture, announced yesterday, of Eboli, sixteen miles inland from Salerno.

General Eisenhower said yesterday: "Allied forces are rapidly getting into position to undertake seriously a major battle against the Germans."

Paris Radio stated last night that new Allied landings have been made north of Salerno. The announcer added: "These landings point to a fresh Allied offensive in the direction of Naples."

From Haig Nicholson, Reuter's Special Correspondent at Allied H.Q.

While the Germans are accelerating the withdrawal of their southern flank to the north-east, General Eisenhower is still keeping the whereabouts of the Eighth Army a close secret. All he said in his communiqué yesterday was: "The Eighth Army continues to advance in face of light opposition."

General Eisenhower, on returning from a tour of the battle-front, expressed the fullest satisfaction with the Allied position.

The Fifth Army is now reported on the outskirts of Montecorvino Rovella, six miles east of Montecorvina Pugliano, occupied on Sunday. Pushing north of Salerno, the Fifth Army found the Germans firmly entrenched on the hills dominating the road.

The German line now runs roughly from the north of Salerno town eastwards to Eboli, where the Germans are using small tank forces to back up infantry attempts to delay the Allied advance. The Germans have now abandoned more villages in the mountains behind the beach-head.

Powerful support continues to be given to the land forces by swarms of Allied bombers and fighters. Latest targets included railway yards at Torre Annunziata, at the foot of Vesuvius, railway waggons south of Pompeii, roads south of Sarni, the railway junction at Castelnuova, and Avellino and Calabriso, behind the battle-front.

Captain Sertorius, the German Military Commentator, stated last night that British forces have landed at several points of the Amalfi peninsula. "There is no doubt," he added, "that the Allied High Command is preparing a further offensive with great energy. Extensive troop movements are being carried out."—(Reuter.)

French Hold All West Corsica

GERMANS from the Afrika Korps and men who fought at Stalingrad are facing the French commandos who have landed in Corsica. They were brought from Sardinia across the heavily-bombed Straits of Bonifacio, said a German Radio reporter.

Their number is put at 12,000, with one Fascist regiment from the Italian garrison, according to Reuter's correspondent at Allied Headquarters, North Africa.

German troops are believed to be holding a line from Bastia, on the east coast, to Bonifacio, while the French forces are in possession of the capital, Ajaccio, on the west. Destroyers of the French Navy ran troops into Ajaccio in a fast shuttle service from North Africa between September 13 and 17.

The French National Committee announces from Algiers that all Vichy laws are abolished, and the laws of the Third Republic are again in operation.

A French communiqué broadcast from Algiers Radio last night said: "The French troops which have already landed in Corsica are supporting and co-ordinating the very effective action of the Corsican patriots. The entire western part of Corsica is already liberated. Our advanced elements are holding, in particular, St. Florent, the eastern region of Corte, Levie and Sartene. The German attempts to take the passes of Sorba and Linseca have been easily repelled."

The communiqué was signed by General Giraud.

Britain Desires a Strong France

Speaking of the fact that both Russia and the United States were agreeable to the French National Committee being represented on the new Commission which is being set up in the Mediterranean, Mr Churchill said:—For the first time the French took their place as an equal partner with the great nations which were warring against Germany in Europe.

"I want to make it quite clear that I regard the restoration of France as one of the Great Powers of Europe as a sacred duty, from which Great Britain will never turn," he went on. "One of the main and enduring interests of Great Britain in Europe is that there should be a strong France and a strong French Army.

"I remain convinced that the highest honour will be accorded to those who never flinched or wavered in the hour of disaster, and that lasting condemnation and, I trust, salutary punishment will be meted out to all prominent persons who have not only merely bowed to the force of circumstances, but who, for the sake of personal ambition or profit, have tried to promote the victory of the common foe."

Tokyo's "Drastic Measures"

With the Allies striking with growing strength at Japanese positions in the South-western Pacific, the Tokyo Cabinet held a special meeting yesterday, says Reuter.

A Tokyo message to the German News Agency yesterday said that "the Government decided on drastic measures and changes on the home front to meet the present grave war situation." General Tojo, Prime Minister, is to broadcast to-night.

Coastal Ships Sink Supply Vessel

While on patrol off the Dutch coast near Ijmuiden early on Monday morning, states a British Admiralty communiqué, light coastal forces torpedoed and sank an enemy supply ship of large size, accompanied by a strong escort of patrol vessels, armed trawlers and minesweepers. One trawler was left in a sinking condition, while a second escort ship was seen to burst into flames.

Salerno: "We Cut It Fine"

Mr. Churchill described the invasion of Italy in the Naples area as the most daring amphibious operation ever launched on a similar scale.

"From the Gulf of Salerno we were at the extreme range of shore-based aircraft flying from Palermo and other conquered Sicilian fields. Until we gained refuelling stations and landing places our single-engined fighter squadrons had but a quarter of an hour's activity over the battle field area."

It had been said that it might have been better to go to the north of Naples and Spezia, but they could not go farther north than Naples unless they dispensed with the aid of land-based aircraft. Even as it is, they were dependant upon sea-borne aircraft, and to have gone further north would have deprived the carriers of the support of shore-based aircraft.

The Allies knew that the Germans had the power to march against them to counter-attack with superior or equal numbers before the invasion troops could secure any land bases or harbours.

"When I survey in retrospect last week's intense fighting with the battles swaying to and fro, it looks as if we cut it very fine indeed," said Mr. Churchill.

"From day three to day seven the issue hung in the balance, and the possibility of a large scale disaster could not be excluded. Every inch of the ground was savagely disputed.

"A British battle squadron with some of the finest battleships, joined the in-shore squadron, and, by heavy bombardment of the enemy on shore, ran a great risk in narrow waters and at close range of enemy aircraft. Enemy gliders damaged some of the ships.

ADVANCING NOW

"On the 10th day the Eighth Army began to intervene, as it was intended they should, on the enemy's southern flank and rear.

"The results show that the enemy has been worsted. Our main forces are fully assured and the Eighth Army are coming into action in suitable places. We have recovered the initiative and we are able now to advance northward on a broad front. That operation is now in progress."

The Salerno landing was "an important, pregnant victory."

Three-Power Conference's Importance

The confident hope of a meeting before the end of the year between President Roosevelt, Marshal Stalin and himself was expressed by Mr. Churchill, when he told the House of Commons that the Soviet Commander-in-Chief had expressed a wish to have an inter-Allied Commission set up in the Mediterranean.

Arrangements have already been made, the Prime Minister stated, for a tripartite conference between the Foreign Secretaries of the three countries or their representatives. "We shall be represented by the Foreign Secretary and the conference will take place at an early date. No question will be barred from its discussions. The whole ground will be surveyed."

Mr. Churchill said also that no meeting during this war could carry with it so much significance for the future of the world as the meeting between the heads of the Governments of Great Britain, the United States and Russia. "Without a close, cordial and lasting association between Soviet Russia and the other great Allies we might find ourselves at the end of the war only to have entered upon a period of deepening confusion."

The Premier also informed the House that the question of the recognition of the French Committee of National Liberation was settled at Quebec. "Neither Great Britain nor the United States is prepared to regard the French National Committee as other than a provisional instrument, and this view is fully accepted by the members of the Committee themselves.

FRENCH ARMY

"This Committee administers with success the entire French Empire, and it disposes of a considerable fleet in which the first-class modern battleship, Richelieu, will presently take her place. A French army of three or four hundred thousand men is being steadily organised under the command of General Giraud, and in the closest association with his colleague General de Gaulle. This army is being equipped with the most modern equipment supplied by the United States Government, and it will not be long before we shall again experience the inspiring sense of having strong French forces alongside us on the battlefront."

Reuter's special correspondent in Washington cabled last night that the tripartite meeting would be primarily concerned with the post-war political situation. He said: "If the meeting takes place before the grand assault launched across the Channel, military matters may be discussed, but details of what Mr. Churchill called 'mass invasion from the west' have already been settled in full agreement with Russia."

The Press Association diplomatic correspondent states that the meeting will probably take place in Moscow next month, and that M. Molotoff will be Russia's chief representative, while the United States will be represented by Mr. Cordell Hull or several delegates.

United States Eighth Air Force Marauders, escorted and supported by Spitfires, attacked enemy airfields at Beauvais-Tille, France, yesterday morning.

The War Against Japan

Dealing with the war against Japan, Mr. Churchill, in his speech yesterday, said:—"The offensive is already on foot on a considerable scale in various parts of the Pacific.

"The main strength of the United States is deployed in that ocean. The main weight of the offensive operations there is in the Solomons and New Guines, where General McArthur—an officer of outstanding personality—is conducting a large scale offensive." The first steps were taken by the eviction of the Japanese from Guadalcanal and from Papua. New Georgia had been cleared of the enemy, and the twin bases of Salamaua and Lae were reduced in a manner which showed a remarkable development in the use of amphibious and air-borne power.

Referring to the occupation of Kiska, in which the Canadian forces took part, he said that Kiska was the sequel to the annihilation of the Japanese garrison from the island of Attu, and was certainly remarkable for the fact that the Japanese, who had occupied Kiska with a garrison of 10,000 men or more, were not prepared to await the assault, but fled beforehand under the cover of darkness in their ships.

"Hitherto we have reckoned on their dying to the last man, which they certainly did at Attu. But at Kiska, and also to some extent at Salamaua and Lae, a somewhat different mood has seemed to have possessed the enemy.

LOSSES AT SEA

"A fundamental fact in the war against Japan is the steady diminution of Japanese shipping in relation to the task their war policy has imposed upon them. They cannot possibly hold the vast areas they occupy except upon a certain minimum shipping supply. Their losses certainly exceed any means which they have or can ever obtain of replacement. This is also true of their Air Force, which has long ago been overtaken, and is now increasingly surpassed every month by the enormous United States expansion."

Considerable progress, Mr. Churchill said, had been made in the organisation of the South-east Asia Command, which was being set up in India to intensify the war against Japan. "The Supreme Allied Commander, Admiral Mountbatten, will shortly arrive in India, accompanied by a staff of officers, who will form the combined Allied headquarters, as modelled on that which has been set up under General Eisenhower with so much advantage. This form of combined Allied headquarters was absolutely necessary, because of the many United States establishments which were growing up separately for many purposes in that area, particularly in respect of the great air route to China."

Mussolini's Guards Had Orders to Shoot

The Caribinieri guards in charge of Signor Mussolini had orders to shoot him if there was any rescue attempt, Mr. Churchill disclosed yesterday.

He said the guards failed in their duty having regard to the large German force which descended upon them from the air and who would have held the guards responsible for Signor Mussolini's safety. It had not been possible to bring about the handing over of Signor Mussolini to the Allies, as this would have disclosed the Italians' surrender intentions to the Germans. When Mussolini was in captivity the Germans sent him some books of Nietzsche and leaflets.

Radio Controlled Bomb

A new type of aerial bomb, referred to by Mr. Churchill in his speech yesterday, is of the armour-piercing type, writes a P.A. air correspondent. The rocket is released from a considerable height and glides for a short time well below the fuselage. It is, apparently, controlled by radio until it almost reaches the target, plunging like a flame.

One theory is that the bomb contains, in addition to the high explosive, a propellant charge which is ignited when the bomb is launched.

R.A.F. Using Greek Islands

Allied aircraft are already operating from some of the Dodecanese islands and are receiving help from the Italian force there, cables George Crawley, Reuter's correspondent in Cairo.

No Time Lost in Armistice Negotiations

—MR. CHURCHILL

Allegations that forty days' time had been lost in the surrender negotiations with Italy, and that Allied soldiers' blood had been needlessly shed at Salerno, were denied by Mr. Churchill in his speech yesterday.

"This criticism," he said, "is as ill-founded in fact as it is wounding to those bereaved. The time of our main attack upon Italy was fixed without the slightest reference to the attitude of the Italian Government, and the actual provisional date of the operation was settled long before any negotiations with them had taken place, or even before the fall of Mussolini.

"The date depended upon the time necessary to disengage our landing craft from the beaches of southern Sicily, across which, up to the first week in August, the major part of our armies actually engaged there had to be supplied from day to day.

"There was not for one moment a pause in the process of carrying-out the military operations, and everything else had to fit in with the main-line traffic.

"The whole of this operation which is the answer to the charge of delay—and I have heard the word 'slothful' used—was planned as the result of the decision taken before the fall of Mussolini, and would have taken place in any case whatever happened in Italy, at the earliest possible moment. The Italian surrender was a windfall which had nothing to do with the date fixed for the harvesting of the orchard.

"The truth is that the armistice was delayed to fit in with the attack and not that the attack was delayed to fit in with the announcement."

The armistice was made public while the Salerno battle was raging. Its terms were studied by the Russian Government, which authorised General Eisenhower to sign on Russia's behalf.

Mr. Churchill said he could not view the Italian action at this juncture as any other than natural and human. The King of Italy and his Government were now established behind the advancing Allied lines. This "unhappy Government" had acted with courage and good faith. To help them the Allies offered to land an American airborne division in Rome, but at the last moment the warning came from the Italians:—"The Rome airfields are not in our control."

Turkeys To Be Scarce and Dear

Owing to the scarcity of feeding stuffs, turkeys may be scarce and expensive this year. According to breeders the probable price will be not less than 2s. to 2s. 6d. per lb. The difficulty of rearing the birds is another contributory factor, and owners have had bad luck this year, as the weather has been wet, and many young turkeys have died. In one case, out of 20 birds bought at 7s. 6d. each, only two have survived, and in another instance, 10s. each having been paid for 12 turkeys, only seven lived. The diet, consisting of chopped hard boiled eggs and nettles, is expensive, and, together with the high mortality rate, makes the eventual market price a high one.

20,000 British Workers Idle

Nearly 20,000 workers—about 5,000 miners, over 4,000 shipwrights, and from 9,000 to 10,000 engineers—were on strike in Great Britain yesterday. Meanwhile 12,000 women employed in north-east engineering establishments have been given fourteen days in which to enter into negotiations on a claim to be graded according to skill.

Soviets Only Ten Miles From Dnieper

Chernigov Taken By Storm

ADVANCED Soviet forces are now only ten miles from the great Dnieper waterway, Reuter's Special Correspondent cables from Moscow. They have cut the railway linking the two Dnieper towns of Dnepropetrovsk and Zaporozhe.

Chernigov has been captured.

On the whole offensive front, now extending to 1,000 miles, the Red Army is maintaining its swift rate of advance. Spearheads driving on the great German bases of Smolensk and Kiev were yesterday within 18 and 25 miles of their objectives, respectively.

The fall of Chernigov was announced in a special Order of the Day issued by Marshal Stalin last night, which said:—"Troops of the central front, continuing their offensive, successfully crossed the River Desna, and, by a flanking manœuvre, after three days of fierce fighting, captured by storm the regional centre of Chernigov, on the lower Desna. Thus, the enemy defences on the western bank of the Desna have been overwhelmed along the whole length of the river, and the enemy's plan to stem our advance at the river can be considered as having failed completely.

"In honour of the victory won the units and formations who distinguished themselves during the forcing of the Desna and the capture of Chernigov will in future bear the name of Chernigov."

Outside Smolensk, Reuter states, the column nearest to the city, advancing along a main road, has already passed Toporovo, only 18 miles to the north-east.

Troops of the Kalinin front, who are outflanking Smolensk from the north, are now moving down the Dvina Valley towards Vitebsk, following the capture of Velizh. Vitebsk, 70 miles west-north-west of Smolensk, has the reputation of being the toughest point in the whole German defence line in Russia.

General Rokossovsky's armies are moving on Kiev in the triangle formed by the Neshin-Kiev and Poltava-Kiev Railways. Dnepropetrovsk is threatened from three sides.

All railways east of the Dnieper into the town have been cut, and one force is pushing towards it from Bulakovka, 29 miles to the north-east.

Further south Soviet troops are within ten miles of the Zaporozhe-Crimea Railway. Soviet guns are reported to be shelling the outskirts of Melitopol.

Since the fall of Orel and Byelgorod the Red Army has advanced 150 miles to the west on a 500 mile front, and freed 75,000 square miles of territory.

1,040 PLACES

The official Soviet communiqué gives yesterday's advances and capture of 1,040 places as follows:—In the Kuban 6 to 10 miles, towards Melitopol and Zaporozhe 3 to 10 miles, 70 places captured; in the direction of Dnepropetrovsk 6 to 10 miles, 80 places taken, including the town and railway junction of Sinelnikovo; towards Poltava 6 to 16 miles, 250 places captured; in the direction of Kiev 6 to 13 miles, 240 localities taken; 6 to 13 miles in the Gomel direction, 270 places; 6 miles towards Roslavl, 130 places; North-west of Smolensk 100 localities were captured.

More Light and Power

ON account of the "favourable water conditions on the River Shannon" restrictions on the consumption of electricity imposed from May are to be relaxed from Friday.

Making this announcement yesterday, the Electricity Supply Board states that until further notice consumption of current must not exceed the average daily consumption in the corresponding period of 1941, no matter for what purpose electricity is used.

While no restriction will be placed on industrial users, the Board emphasises that they should exercise the strictest economy.

Civil Servants Indict Government

AT a mass meeting of civil servants of all grades and departments held in Cork last night to protest against the failure of the Government either to control prices effectively or to adjust the pay of its employees to meet the soaring cost of living, a resolution was unanimously adopted protesting against "the dishonouring by the Government of its contract to adjust the pay of its employees to meet the soaring cost of living, particularly as the Government took advantage of the contract to impose reductions in pay over a period of many years during which the cost of living was falling." The resolution went on to say that if the Government was unable or unwilling to appreciate the injustice of the present position, the whole question be immediately referred to arbitration before a competent tribunal, as is done in the case of other sections of the community.

Mr. A. M. O'Connell, Department of Supplies, who presided, said that they had received a message from the Civil Service Alliance welcoming their protest against the Government's decision on the bonus claim.

Big Prices at Roebuck Castle Auction

Chief interest at yesterday's Roebuck Castle fine arts sale—regarded as the most important of the nine days' auction—centred on the disposal of a very fine, perfectly matched diamond festoon and scroll tiara. £1,000 was the opening price asked for by the auctioneer, Mr. J. H. Allan. It was eventually sold to Mr. Eckersley for £950—highest price of the day.

The day's sales totalled £3,116. Prices were much above average, and articles went for three and four times their pre-war value.

King's pattern spoons and forks, which used to sell at from 4s. to 5s. an ounce, realised £1 per ounce. One of the biggest individual purchases of King's pattern cutlery—£300—was made by Mr. Louis Wine on behalf of a client.

Leading prices included:—Fancy 12-stone diamond cross, with rose diamond border, £225; diamond cluster bangle, with diamond scroll shoulders, £210; ruby and diamond doubleheart brooch, with diamond tie, £185; 5-stone ruby and diamond carved half-hoop ring, £165; 5-stone emerald carved half-hoop ring, £160; 3-stone diamond carved half-hoop ring, £90; 5-stone sapphire and diamond carved half-hoop ring, £80; gold mounted crystal and emerald necklet, with brooch to match, £36; chased cake basket (London, 1820), £20; 2 silver salvers (London, 1822), property of the late Sir Henry Grattan Bellew, with family crest, £10; a 24-piece coffee set in case, with beautifully wrought silver holders, £28; 40 ounce 3-piece silver tea set (Dublin, 1812), £50.

The auction will continue to-day, when drawingroom furniture, needlework pictures, pewter copper and brassware will be disposed of.

Charge Against Mayo Newspaper Fails

Dismissing a charge at Ballina Court against the *Western People* for infringement of the Emergency Powers No. 241 Order, 1943, District Justice Guy said that, if he were asked to interpret the Order and amendment, he would have taken the same view as the *Western People*.

Publication of the advertisement complained of was admitted by Mr. F. V. Devere, editor, *Western People*, who said he was aware of the provisions of the Order issued in December, 1942, and of the amendment removing the restrictions on the number of employees which might be advertised for in January, 1943. The advertisement for factory workers, received in February, 1943, was submitted to him, and passed for publication, inasmuch as it specified that the people sought were for employment in Eire, and was issued by a firm in Roscrea. The first they heard of any complaint was when they received summonses from the Minister for Industry and Commerce. Newspapers expected greater aid and reciprocity from Government departments, instead of a pin-pricking policy which intensified the worries of newspaper people. Mr. Guy said that, even if there was a violation of the Order, it was a trifling one.

Use of the Birch on Bad Boys

"I am sorry I ever acceded to appeals for leniency for these boys, because leniency does not seem to have any effect. I think we will have to go back to the birch again, and lay it on hard and well." So said District Justice Goff at Dundalk yesterday, when he had before him a number of boys who had pleaded guilty to housebreaking and larcenies. It was stated that within a month more than £40 was stolen by the boys, and other property also taken. The Justice added that people had objected on humanitarian grounds and prevented the proper flogging of juvenile offenders, but there seemed to be no other remedy for the boys.

Probable Fall in Farmers' Incomes

The Government, in the next few weeks, would fix the price of wheat. This, in turn, would have some effect on the price of oats and barley, said Mr. Erskine Childers, T.D., speaking at Curraghboy, County Roscommon. Apart from wheat prices, it should be remembered that, whatever the result of the war, the English could not continue to pay present prices for farm produce after the war. Prices might remain high for cattle for some years, but they would come down sooner or later.

The whole income of the farming community was completely artificial, and would become more so as supplies diminished. Banks were full of cash, but unless goods were available the money would be useless. Subsidies were essential, and would be made available now and for the future, but, as with all State policy, a middle course must be pursued.

The whole future of farming, he said, lay, not in the question of price alone, but also of output per acre and the cost of production. Many changes would take place after the war. There would be a change in diet, and, with this, opportunities to market new products, provided the output was high and the cost reasonable.

Jail for Ration Book Sellers

"I am satisfied that nothing but imprisonment will stop this sale of ration books," said District Justice Mangan in Dublin, yesterday, when imposing a term of six weeks' imprisonment on Eileen Staunton (19), Corporation Buildings, for unlawfully attempting to dispose of a ration book issued to John McDonnell, of Railway street. A similar sentence was imposed on Elizabeth Barry (19), Liberty House, Railway street, for aiding and abetting.

A Civic Guard said he saw Staunton moving about in a crowd of about 1,000 people who had come off the train at Amiens street. She had the ration book, which was made out for a five-year-old boy, in her possession. The Guard said that the sale of ration books was a growing practice in this area, and fifty or sixty ration books were missing.

Cork Hospital Wants More Authority

"It would be of benefit to the institution if the Committee of Management had somewhat greater responsibility and more authority," said Mr. P. J. O'Brien, T.C., presiding yesterday at Cork Mental Hospital Committee, when the meeting was considering the Carlow resolution protesting against the position in which the County Management Act placed such committees.

Level Crossing Crash

Two occupants of a turf lorry were seriously injured in a collision between a goods train and their vehicle at a level crossing at Burnfoot, on the Derry and Lough Swilly Railway line, last evening. The injured men—John McLaughlin, Kinnego, Buncrana, a labourer employed by Donegal County Council, and Joseph Bradley, Buncrana, driver of the lorry—were taken to Derry City and County Hospital.

Ex-Army Men for Trial

John Joyce (32) and John Moore (29), both of no fixed address, were returned for trial by District Justice Mangan on charges of breaking and entering houses in different parts of the city and stealing property value about £300. One of the houses entered was The Palace, Shrewsbury road, residence of the Most Rev. Dr. Barton, Archbishop of Dublin, from which tea sugar, and a ten-shilling note was missed. Property value £100 is alleged to have been stolen from the residence of Mr. J. J. McElligott, Secretary of the Department of Finance. They are also accused of rifling donation boxes in Christ Church, Leeson Park.

Bail was allowed on condition that the accused men handed in their British Army papers.

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Double for Dreaper?

THERE will be a brisk start to the Listowel meeting to-day, and the principal event, the Feale Cup, a two and a half miles handicap steeplechase, should provide a good contest. The top weight, Sun Bird, is a consistent performer, and with him or Greek Minstrel Henry Harty has a good chance of annexing the prize. T. W. Dreaper has Bell Boy II. and Never No More engaged, and the selected will run well, as will the better of Miss Paget's pair, Gold Rainbow and Hush Tommy. Nonna's Cottage has been second in his last three races, and may go one better here.

Mr. T. W. Dreaper looks like winning the Ballybunion Steeplechase with the best of the three he has engaged and the Rathkeale Plate with My Cherry. Selections:—

Castleisland Hurdle—**Laburnum.**
County Plate—**Submarine** or **King of the Jungle.**
Ballybunion 'Chase—**T. Dreaper's selected.**
Feale Cup—**Nonna's Cottage.**
Limerick Plate—**Kedra Cross.**
Committee Plate—**Calvados.**
Rathkeale Plate—**My Cherry.**
Tote double on third and fifth races.

Curragh Selections — 2.0, Glen of Hawthorn; 2.30, King of the Jungle; 3.0, Broken Promise; 3.30, Greek Minstrel; 4.0, Garrgribnich; 4.30, Knockderk; 5.0, Bannerman.

HAROLD'S CROSS GREYHOUNDS

525 YARDS—Cos Bristo (1), 6/1, 1; Sarcophagus (2), 7/1, 2; Ulster Kilpar (6), 4/1, 3; Lazy T. (5), 7/2, 4; Dirty Kilpar (4), 4/1, 5; Can't Run Hero (3), 10/1, 6. 31; 81. 31.98. Harty (Mr. P. Moran).

525 YARDS — Generous Prince (1), 3/1, 1; Victory Shot (5), 5/2, 2; Brittania's Son (2), 4/1, 3. Rustic Sweetie (3), 7/2, 4; Lally Brigade (6), 5/2, 5; Fancy Ledge (4), 8/1, 6. 31; head. 30.52. Owner (Mr. T. Nolan).

500 YARDS—Dempsey Pride (2), 5/1, 1; Iris for Inler (1), evens, 2; Swell (3), 3/1, 3; Fine Inler (4), 3/1, 4; Dawn Dasher (6), 5/1, 5; Don't Laugh (5), 9/2, 6. 31; 31. 28.96. Owner (Mr. D. O'Dea.)

500 YARDS—Danny the Captain (5), 4/7, 1; Brentwood Kid (4), 9/2, 2; Queen of the Snows (2), 8/1, 3. Mixed Speed (5), 9/2, 4; Hard Reared (1), 10/1, 5; Mange Fluff (3), 8/1, 6. 31; neck. 29.44. Owner (Miss A. Larkin).

525 YARDS HURDLES—Dark Walker (6), 1/2, 1; Mighty Hope (1), 11/4, 2; Rooster Imperial (4), 3/1, 3; White Lane (3), 10/1, 4. 41; same. 32.19. P. McKenna. (Mr. P O'Dwyer.)

350 YARDS — Come on Rowley (1), 6/4, 1; Heathstown Lad (2), 2/1, 2; Jubilee Royal (6), 5/2, 3. Castle Kiernan (5), 10/1, 4; Western Invader (5), 7/1, 5. 21; 24. 19.88. Owner (Miss A. Quirke).

525 YARDS—Delvin Prince (3), 7/2, 1; Radiant (4), 10/1, 2; Great and Small (2), 8/1, 3. Grange Champion (5), 3/1, 4; Castleknock Rover (1), 4/5, 5; swep (6), 10/1, 6. 41; 21. 32.07. Owner (Mr. Mitchell).

SHELBOURNE PARK CARD.

525 YARDS—Lone Crossways, Ballyrosk, Ring Castledown, Friendly Wally, Thanksmeup, Admiral Stages Coach, Nana's Darling, Entirety.

525 YARDS—Glen Boyo, Tall Dee, Baldoyle Jubilee, Orluck's Laddie, Lady Margaret's Sandhills, Southlands, Melavetta.

360 YARDS—Just Forget, Honest Ripple, Limerick Lad, Derrynillane, Rebel Border, Roaring Rocket, Brownlow House.

550 YARDS—Cesarewitch—Heat 6—Lady Margaret, Ballnatlan Peg, Cold Evening, Lady Gopher, Miss Abbeylara, Find the Bone.

Heat 7—Keen Midnight, **Discretion,** Robeen Printer, Jobel, Ruby Mantle, Gorgeous.

525 YARDS — Dancing Matador, Lucky Lilac, Crosswood Swank, Spiral Grove, Clonker Playboy, **B. M. Muta,** Jingling Reaper, Bella's Rover.

525 YARDS—Question, Fancy Ledge, Gortavallan Fairy Heather, Jubilee Greetings, Cost Nothing, Susan Lennox, Betty Grey.

L.D.F. Raid Sequel

Three men were brought before the Special Criminal Court in Collins Barracks yesterday in consequence of a raid on manœuvring teams of the L.D.F., and two of them were sent to prison for possession of arms and ammunition. Liam Carey, 11 Monntjoy place, Dublin, who had a parabellum revolver under his pillow, another loaded revolver in his overcoat and a rifle and Thompson gun magazine and ammunition beneath his bedroom floor, was sentenced to five years' penal servitude. Henry Loughrey, 20 Hardwicke street, received 18 months' imprisonment for having 154 rounds of ammunition.

Andrew Smith, Stormanstown House, Ballymun road, Dublin, pleaded guilty to membership of an illegal organisation and possession of firearms. On an undertaking being given that he would leave the organisation, he was discharged and bound over for two years.

The Court fined October 5th as the date of the trial of Pierce Farrell, 49a Dorset street, Dublin, charged with membership of an illegal organisation and with receiving documents relating to the L.D.F. on October 12th. Bail was fixed as the date of trial of Patrick Kelly, 14 Arbour place, Arbour Hill, Dublin, charged with possession of firearms.

Dublin Unions Serve Strike Notices

Four Dublin unions have served strike notice on the Master Carriers' Association in respect of two hundred employees; motor drivers, helpers and drivers of horse carts. The unions are demanding that a bonus of 6s. awarded to the men should be paid from May 1st, while, so far, the employers are prepared only to pay the bonus from May 30th. The notices expire on Monday.

FOOD MARKETS

DUBLIN GRAIN.—Oats 32/- to 34/6, barley 35/-, and wheat 47/- to 50/- per barrel delivered.

DUBLIN POULTRY.—Chickens, small plump, dead, 1/8 to 1/8½; large 1/7 to 1/7½; ducks, young 1/8 to 1/9, old 1/4 to 1/5; turkeys, 2½ lbs. and upwards, young 4/-, old 5/6; guinea fowl 18/- to 19/-; wild geese 6/6, under 4lb. 4/6; widgeon 1/6 to 1/9; teal and snipe 1/-; golden plover 1/6, wood pigeons 2/- to 3/3; grazers, large 1/6, and small 4d. to 6d. each.

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DUBLIN POTATO.—Queen's, Kerr's Pinks, and Epic's Abundance 10/-; Epicures and Banners, 9/- per cwt. ex store.

DUBLIN FRUIT AND VEGETABLE.—York cabbage, large 20/- to 70/-, small 10/- to 33/-; loaf, swedes 2/6 to 3/3 per cwt.; cauliflowers 5/- to 7/-, seconds 1/6 to 2/6; lettuce 9d. to 1/6, marrows 4/- to 9/-, cucumbers 1/- to 2/-, endive, spinach 2/6 to 3/-, parsnips 8/- to 11/-, onions 30/- to 35/- bag, rhubarb 1/- to 1/6, beet 2/- to 3/- doz. bunches; turnips 6d. to 10d., scallions 1/- to 1/3, celery 2d. to 3/- bunch, parsley 1/- chip, 3d. to 4/- bag; broad beans 1/6 to 2/- chip, runner beans 2/- per lb.; mushrooms 1/6 to 16/-, tomatoes 10/- to 15/-, damsons 12/- to 16/-, blackberries 4/- to 7/-, sloes 2/- to 4/-; apples, dessert 4/- to 14/-, cooking 2/- to 5/- chip, grapes 3/- to 4/9, raspberries 8d. to 1/- per lb.; pears, selected 6/- to 13/- doz., and cooking 6/- to 8/- chip.

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GRIMSBY FISH.—Haddocks, sprags, codling, whiting, ling, coalfish, and cod 6/5 (heads on), lemon soles 18/6, halibut 21/6, hake 6/5, turbot and soles 21/6 per stone.

MANCHESTER GAME AND DEAD POULTRY. — Grouse 9/6, partridge 8/6 brace; chickens and fowls 1/8 lb.; brown hares 7/6, mountain 4/6 each; rabbits 11½d. lb. wholesale (control prices).

DUBLIN HAY AND STRAW.—Best hay 7/6, secondary 6/6 to 7/3, old meadow 5/- to 6/6, and straw 3/- to 4/3 per cwt.

COMPANY NEWS

Anglo-Ecuadorian Oil—Interim dividend of 2½ per cent. (against nil).

Smith's Potato Crisps — Interim dividend of 7½ per cent. (same).

Listowel Programme

2.0—CASTLEISLAND HURDLE. £50. 2m.

402 Silver Pair (J. P. Frost), H. Harty, 5, 11-5
403 Tipperary Boy (P. J. Henehan), Keating, 5, 11-5
103 Red Pins (J. Lombard), Owner, 6, 11-5
004 Wolfstone (D. McCarthy), Creed, a, 11-5
333 St. Nicholas (C. J. O'Brien), H. Harty, 5, 11-5
310 Glen of Hawthorn (P. Molony), Molony, 4, 11-4
231 Laburnum (P. J. Hartigan), Owner, 4, 11-0
BETTING FORECAST—5/4 Laburnum, 6/5 Glen of Hawthorn, 4/1 Tipperary Boy, 6/1, Silver Pair and St. Nicholas, 8/1 others.

2.30—COUNTY HURDLE. £100. 12m.

Pallas Garter (E. Vaughan), Owner, 4, 10-9
232 Submarine (Mrs. A. H. Watt), W. T. O'Grady, 5, 10-3
1 Felwin (Mrs. F. J. Beary), Roanlball, 6, 10-3
220 Bark (Mrs. A. P. Harris), Holden, a, 9-9
021 King of the Jungle (9th. ex.) (G. Ainscough), W. T. O'Grady, 5, 9-5
310 Glen of Hawthorn (P. Molony), Molony, 4, 9-1
100 Galway Girl (Walter Dwyer), Owner, 4, 9-0
100 Ballyvinter Boy (Lt.-Col. A. Knowles), Creed, 3, 9-0
H. Holmes rides Submarine or King of the Jungle.
BETTING FORECAST—7/4 Submarine and King of the Jungle, 5/2 Bark, 7/2 Felwin and Ballyvinter Boy, 6/1 Glen of Hawthorn, 10/1 others.

3.0—BALLYBUNION 'CHASE. £100. 2m.

411 Mount Brown (Mrs. Harty), H. Harty, a, 12-4
0 Broken Promise (J. V. Rank), Dreaper, a, 11-6
100 Bell Boy II. (J. F. Hoey), Dreaper, a, 11-6
113 Pantry (Miss Paget), C. Rogers, a, 11-6
Tepaleen (Mrs. Watt), O'Grady, a, 11-6
Of Leinster (O'Hara), O'Rourke, 5, 10-8
300 Tennis Ball (E. Hogan), J. E. Hogan, a, 10-8
120 Never No More (J. Sutherland), Dreaper, a, 10-8
031 Morse Signal (P. Molony), Molony, 5, 10-8
023 John D. (W. Dwyer), Owner, 4, 10-4
BETTING FORECAST — 5/4 Broken Promise, 3/1 Mount Brown and Pantry, 5/1 Tennis Ball, 100/30 others.

3.30—FEALE CUP, £50 added. A handicap 'chase. 2½m.

410 Sun Bird (W. H. Peter), H. Harty, 6, 12-7
100 Bell Boy II. (J. F. Hoey), T. W. Dreaper, a, 12-4
120 Never No More (J. F. Sutherland), T. W. Dreaper, a, 11-6
144 Black Mask (W. J. Purcell), Owner, a, 11-0

032 Knight's Crest (Mrs. W. Molony), Henneberry, 6, 10-12
Greek Minstrel (N. D. Mahony), H. Harty, a, 10-11
300 Border Knight (Mrs. A. H. Watt), W. F. O'Grady, 5, 10-9
010 Desmond Morgan (G. Carr Lett), Owner, a, 10-5
322 Nonna's Cottage (Walter Dwyer), Owner, 6, 10-2
342 Gold Rainbow (Miss Paget), C. Rogers, 6, 9-12
000 The Clip (J. M. O'Brien), Owner, 6, 9-11
040 Hush Tommy (Miss Paget), C. Rogers, 6, 9-8
400 Brown Joker (G. Carr Lett), Owner, a, 9-7
P. Sherry rides Desmond Morgan or Brown Joker.
BETTING FORECAST—5/1 Bell Boy II., Sun Bird and Gold Rainbow, 5/1 Border Knight, 7/1 Black Mask, 8/1 Nonna's Cottage, 10/1 others.

4.0—LIMERICK PLATE. £50. 1m. 2f.

323 St. Nicholas (C. O'Brien), H. Harty, 5, 11-7
000 Dromineer (P. Sweeney), Owner, 5, 11-7
Jack Deacon (J. Brennan), Private, 5, 11-7
023 Kedra Cross (W. Dwyer), Owner, 4, 11-7
000 Flying Fortress (V. Hartigan), Owner, 4, 11-7
.00 Flying Wind (Miss Leonard), Leonard, 5, 11-7
200 Garryhinch (Miss McCutcheon), McCutcheon, a, 11-7
Darling Cora (M. O'Connor), Private, 3, 10-11
BETTING FORECAST—2/1 Garryhinch, 5/2 St. Nicholas, 7/2 Kedra Cross, 5/1 Flying Fortress, 7/1 others.

4.30—COMMITTEE PLATE. £100. 1m. 100 yds.

Thunderbolt (M. J. Browne), Private, 4, 9-2
002 Christian (C. F. P. Creed), Owner, 5, 9-2
000 Magic Bubble (P. Purcell), Kirwan, 6, 9-2
00 Honey Grust (E. J. Rice), Owner, 6, 9-2
Sailor's Prestige (M. J. Slattery), Private, 6, 9-2
0 Kennedy (John O'Leary), Fennell, a, 9-2
143 Knockderk (M. S. Carroll), C. Rogers, 5, 8-12
0 Palias Knight (E. Vaughan), Owner, 3, 8-7
Darling Cora (Maurice O'Connor), Owner, 3, 8-7
300 Calvados (P. More O'Ferrall), More O'Ferrall, a, 8-7
242 Johnson (J. Sleen), T. Nugent, 3, 8-7
BETTING FORECAST—4/6 Calvados, 5/2 Knockderk, 4/1 Johnson, 6/1 Christian, 100/12 others.

5.0—RATHKEALE HANDICAP. £100. 1m. 2f.

401 Bannerman (Miss Paget), C. Rogers, 5, 9-4
203 My Cherry (T. F. Bailey), Dreaper, 6, 9-2
000 First Violin (Mrs. Flynn), Lenehan, 3, 8-7
100 Ballyvinter Boy (Lt.-Col. Knowles), Creed, 3, 8-7
BETTING FORECAST—5/4 Bannerman, 6/4 My Cherry, 5/1 others.

GOLF CLUB NOTICES

Royal Dublin.—Entries for Healy Cup close to-morrow at noon; draw posted in clubhouse; first round on or before Oct. 2.

Laytown.—Strand Cup—P. B. Delany 4 up, C. Murdoch 3 up. Sunday—Flag.

Dundalk.—Mixed foursomes—B. J. Gibson and Mrs. N. McGahon (23), 71; P. Laurence and Miss McFarland (19), 72. Saturday—Winter prize, strokes.

Kilkenny.—Saturday—Captain's prize, strokes; dinner 7.30.

Donabate.—Ladies. Sunday — Medal final — Mrs. Udin's prize — Miss S. O'Mahony (24), 75.

Castle.—To-day—Medal. Club championship—N. H. Lambert beat G. Barnewell at 39th.

Lucan.—Saturday — Captain's prize, strokes; dinner at Spa Hotel 6.30

Laytown.—Ladies. Medal finals—I. Mrs. Warren (24), 75; II. Mrs. Brown (18), 75; III. Miss G. Lynch (25), 76. Sweep—I. Miss Carroll (8), 76; II. Mrs. Holmes Wilson (23), 81; III. Mrs. Robertson (25), 78. To-morrow—Semi-open foursomes; arrange opponents.

Bray.—Red Cross mixed foursome—A. P. Huet and Miss Pim, all sq.; G. O'Carroll and Mrs. White, 1 down. Saturday—Medal. Ladies—Miss Clark-hart's prize—Miss Fitzgerald, 26 points; Miss Bailey, 24 points. Sept. 27—Mrs. Carrig's prize, 18 holes, strokes. 9 sealed holes; dinner, 10.15. 10.30, 2s 6d.

Limerick.—Corboy Cup—E. O'Brien (6), 71 (won replay); D. Looney (7), 71. Fourball—Mr. and Mrs. Looney (10) beat Fitzgibbon (8), 6 up. Sunday—Captain's prize.

Foxrock—Ladies—Mr. J. E. Fletcher's prize—Mrs. Hick, 74-5=69. Mrs. McDonald, 35 2-3. General meeting October 5, 6 o'c.

SCHOOLS' BRANCH OFFICERS.

A meeting of the Schools' Section of the Leinster Branch of the Irish Rugby Football Union was held yesterday at 11 Westmoreland street, Dublin. The following officers were elected for the season:—Hon. secretary—Mr. C. D. Sutton (re-elected). Schools' Committee — Rev. Fathers Sullivan, Finucane, Kelly, and Mr. T. A. McDowell. Representatives on Executive Committee—Mr. C. D. Sutton and Rev. Father Finucane.

Lansdowne.—Practice to-day at 5.30. General meeting in pavilion on Friday at 8 o'clock.

Dublin University.—Practice in College Park to-day at 3 o'clock.

ANOTHER RECORD BY BRADSHAW

IRISH professional champion, Harry Bradshaw in the U.A.I. £53 competition at Elm Park yesterday, made full atonement for his failure over the course on Sunday when he lowered by one stroke the 68 record which he and Fred Daly set up last year. On the morning round the second shots bothered him on a number of holes, but often had to chip back from behind the green, and his 73 gross, in the circumstances, was not surprising; but experience teaches, and in the evening we saw him at his very best.

With five 3s and four 4s on the holes out, he had the remarkable score of 33. The holes in are more difficult, the bogey being 37, as against 34 for the first nine, but he came back in 36, his card reading:—

Out ... 3 4 4 3 3 3 3 4 4—31
In ... 5 4 4 5 4 4 3 3 4—36

The champion's driving on the second round was dead straight, and his chips, or, as he calls them, the little flicks, and putting were perfect. His handicap of plus 4, however, gave him an aggregate of 146, or three behind the winner, for the prize for the best gross.

The winner was Dick Ferguson, the latest addition to the ranks of the Southern Branch and assistant at Greenore, who, off plus 1, had sound and steady rounds of 71 and 70—very consistent scoring. In the forenoon he was out 34, every hole being halved in bogey; and he came home in 37, with slight lapses at the 11th and 15th. In the evening he had the figures for the first nine on the opening round by one stroke, and again was 37 homeward; but he had plenty of trouble at the 15th and 16th, each of which cost him 5, and also took three putts at the short 17th. Two strokes behind the winner were Willie Holley, of the Castle, and Bill Kinsella, of Skerries, the latter of whom was leading until Holley and Ferguson finished.

143—R. Ferguson (Greenore) (+1), 72-71.
145—W. Holley (Castle) (+1), 71-74; W. Kinsella (Skerries) (+1), 71-74.
146—H. Bradshaw (Kilcroney) (+4), 75-71; N. Wilson (Lucan) (1), 74-72; C. Kane (Tullamore) (+9), 72-74.
147—S. McGealy (Skerries) (1), 76-71; A. Whiston (Dun Laoghaire) (+1), 74-73; F. J. Mahon (Royal Dublin) (scr.), 74-73.
148—P. O'Connor (Woodbrook) (+1), 77-71.
149—J. Gaffney (Grange) (1), 78-72; P. Gunning (Hermitage) (scr.), 73-77.
152—E. Bradshaw (Delgany) (2), 74-78.
153—G. Brown (Waterford) (scr.), 75-78; T. Shannon (Milltown) (2), 76-77; E. Bradshaw jun. (Delgany) (scr.), 75-78.
155—J. Quinn (Clontarf) (scr.), 78-77; K. O'Connor (Elm Park) (+2), 77-78; M. O'Neill (Carlow) (2), 78-77.
156—J. McGuirk (Co. Louth) (scr.), 77-79; T. Gaffney (Killiney) (+2), 80-76.
157—F. Walters (St. Anne's) (2), 81-76.
158—M. McGuirk (Co. Louth) (+2), 79-79.
159—J. O'Neill (Howth) (scr.), 79-80; T. Mooney (Greenore) (3), 80-79.
161—E. Hackett (Portmarnock) (+2), 79-82.
165—J. Barrett (Carrickmines) (2), 87-78.
No return—C. McAuley (Lucan), H. Murphy (Newlands), C. K. Neill (Foxrock).

To-day's Soccer.—Leinster Senior Cup —St. James's Gate v. Jacobs, Crumlin, 3.30.

ALL ROADS LEAD TO KILMARTIN'S

All Branches Open 9 a.m. To-day. First Race, Listowel, 2 o'clock.

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66	Brisk Bat	100/8	Our Sylamag
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100	Blue Speck	50	Roebuck
100/8	Ballymore	66	Ryskid
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100	Dunseverick	100	Sorrel
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66	Duna	33	Sperran
33	Erihen	66	Subtle Serpent
25	Funny	100	Sabrent Boy
8	Fair Gem	20	Solid Tune
100	Fan Go Fell	25	Sammy's Rock
50	Polaris	100/6	Scottish Welcome
100	Gamecurrig	20	Scots Guard
50	Glengormley	20	Verbatim
50	Knight's Wink	100/7	Winawar
50	King's Approach	33	Wykehamist
25	King Kling	100/6	Wichlaw
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Further Sharp Rises Among Gold Shares

KAFFIRS stole the limelight on London Stock Markets yesterday, when, though there was rather less activity than on the previous day, the tone kept firm.

The main support came from the Cape for those shares connected with the Orange Free State development. "Johnnies" were bought at 61/10½, a rise of 7½d. Western Holdings gained 1/3 to 41/6, S.A. Towns 1/- to 27/-, South African and European 7½d. to 62/6. Far West Rand issues also went ahead, Libanon jumped 2/4½ to 21/10½, West Wits ½ to 11½, and Western Reefs 7½d. to 68/9.

Argentine Bonds went further ahead on renewed support. The 4 p.c. 1897 gained another 1 at 102, the 3½ p.c. 1½ at 92½, and L.A. 3½ p.c. 1906 1 at 71½. Cordoba Central was another 2 points up at 95. There was an improving tendency in Argentine Rails.

There was renewed demand for British Funds, particularly the "longs," and War Loan 3½ p.c. rose ¼ to 104½. Old Consols ¼ to 78⅛, and Local Loans ¼ to 93⅝. British Rails were dull. Great Western fell ¼ to 59½ and L.M.S. Ord. ¼ to 31½. Transport "C" also fell back.

Breweries were quiet. Guinness dropped 1/4 to 22/3. Among Electricals, Siemens rose 1/- to 36/6. Decca and "Emmies" were firm.

The leaders in the Oil market were again easier, Anglo-Iranian falling 7½d. to 107/6.

The Anglo-American Asphalt Co. is retaining this year to its policy of paying interim dividends with the payment of 10 per cent., less tax. Up to 1939 it was paying regular 10 per cent. interim and 22½ per cent. final dividends. Since then payments have been irregular, only 10 per cent. being paid for 1940, 12½ per cent

PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

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by MEREJKOWSKI, with
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World Premiere Production of
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A New Play in 3 Acts, with
Maureen Delany (courtesy Abbey Theatre), John Stephenson, Fred Johnston (courtesy Abbey Theatre), Wilfrid Brambell, John McDarby, Austin Meldon, Phyllis Ryan, Eileen Ashe and Harry Brogan.
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"THY DEAR FATHER."
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To-night at 7.
Other nights at 7.30. Mat., Sat. 2.30.
"DOUBLE DOOR."
By Elizabeth McFadden.

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Film at 3, 6 & 9 o'c.
ANOTHER STAR VARIETY SHOW, with Favourite Artists LOCAL TALENT ON PARADE. Screen: George Saunders in "THE MOON AND SIXPENCE."
Somerset Maugham's Most Famous Story.

METROPOLE To-day at 2 o'c., 4.15, 6.40 & 9 o'c.
BETTE DAVIS & ERROL FLYNN in
"THE SISTERS."
FRIDAY: A DREAM ON ICE.
Kenny Baker, Patricia Morison, in
"SILVERSKATES." Also
"NEATH BROOKLYN BRIDGE."

THEATRE DE LUXE.
JACK BENNY, ROCHESTER.
"MEANEST MAN IN THE WORLD."
4.55, 7.2, 9.29. Lois Andrews, "DIXIE DUGAN." 3.5, 5.32, 7.59.

CORINTHIAN To-day at 2.20, 4.43, 7.6, 9.29.
DICK FORAN: "LIL BUDDY."
Johnny McBrown and Tex Ritter,
"DEEP IN THE HEART OF TEXAS."

ASTORIA DUN LAOGHAIRE.
At 3.25, 6.24, 9.24.
Laurel and Hardy in "PACK UP YOUR TROUBLES." Also
4.50, 7.30—Ed. Arnold, Walter Huston in "ALL THAT MONEY CAN BUY."

CLASSIC ROLLER SKATING RINK, DUKE STREET.
3.30—Ladies 1/, Gents 1/6. 8.11 Ladies 1/6, Gents 2/. Skates supplied free.

ROYAL Films at 2.40, 6.25, 9.35
Show at 4.0, 7.50.
SOMETHING IN THE AIR.
WITH
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MARGARET LINDSAY, in
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With Nat Pendleton.
WITH Entirely New Edition
"SOMETHING IN THE AIR,"
With
May Devitt, Noel Purcell, Eddie Byrne.

REGAL ROOMS At 2.15, 4.35, 6.35, 8.45.
CINEMA.
JUDY GARLAND
In Her Brightest Musical Hit.
"FOR ME AND MY GAL."

SAVOY At 2.40, 4.50, 7 o'c., 9.10.
BETTY GRABLE, TYRONE POWER in
"A YANK IN THE R.A.F."

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DUBLIN OPERATIC SOCIETY.
"RIGOLETTO" (Verdi)
Ben Williams, Marion Davies, John Lynskey, Jack Harte, Jenny O'Toole.
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"ARABIAN NIGHTS."
In Spectacular Technicolour.

PAVILION DUN LAOGHAIRE.
At 4.13, 6.43 & 9.13.
ANN HARDING, EDWARD ARNOLD, in "EYES IN THE NIGHT."
Thurs.—Gene Tierney, John Sutton in "THUNDER BIRDS," in Technicolor.

REGENT CINEMA.
BLACKROCK.
"Larceny Incorporated," with Edward G. Robinson, Jane Wymen, Brodrick Crawford, Jack Carson. Thursday—Spencer Tracey in "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde."

GREEN 3.50, 6.20, 9.0. CLARK GABLE, JOAN CRAWFORD: "LOVE ON THE RUN." Also Eddie Foy, June Clyde: "COUNTRY FAIR."

The Irish Times

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 22, 1943.

Three Fronts

Mr. Winston Churchill yesterday treated the House of Commons to another of his periodical reviews of the course of the war. It was probably the longest of all his reviews; but its length is not unnatural in view of the remarkable developments that have taken place since he last spoke at Westminster. He dealt with the war at sea, on land and in the air. As invariably, he warned his country against excessive confidence, even at this moment when virtually everything appears to be going in favour of the United Nations. The U-boat campaign, he insisted, remained a serious danger, and the fact that no ships had been sunk during the first fortnight in September did not entitle anybody to suppose that Britain and America could relax their precautions against it. Nevertheless, Mr. Churchill's speech was that of a confident leader. Looking back over the events of the past year, he could remind his country of a long series of successes. It is almost exactly a year, he said, since Field-Marshal Rommel was almost at the suburbs of Alexandria, and the fall of Egypt appeared certain. The miracle happened. Rommel's advance was halted and reversed; the reverse became a retreat, and within a few months General Montgomery's Eighth Army was thrusting, with scarcely a halt, against Tunisia. This year has witnessed not merely the elimination of German and Italian power from all territories outside continental Europe, but the beginning of a formidable drive by the Allies against the "European fortress" itself. From Tunisia the Allied armies have crossed to Sicily and have taken it under their charge. They have landed at several points on the Italian mainland, and their arrival has synchronised with the fall of the Government that had ruled Italy for twenty years. The second of the three Great Powers that constituted the Axis alliance has sued for peace, but, in accordance with the unhappy destiny which has dogged Italy throughout the centuries, has failed to obtain it; her soil provides the field for what already have been, and threaten to be again, among the bloodiest battles of this war. Meanwhile, the operations which have made all this progress possible are in full swing. The Russians have transformed their winter counter-offensive into a summer offensive, and seem in a fair way to reach the Dnieper before their advance is checked—if it is checked even then.

It was not, however, upon the past or present that Mr. Churchill laid stress, but upon the future. "I never regarded this African operation," he said, referring to the campaign that began at El Alamein and French North Africa, and now has extended itself to Italy, "as a substitute for a direct attack across the Channel on the Germans in France or the Low Countries." That campaign he describes as a "third front"; the cross-Channel attack, when it comes, will be the real "second front," for which the Russians have been appealing during the past twelve months and more. Mr. Churchill insists that this second front will be established. It "exists potentially," are his words, "but is not yet engaged. . . . When we and the Americans judge the time right, a mass invasion of the Continent from the west, in combination with the invasion from the south, will begin." The precise moment will depend upon the judgment of the Anglo-American Allies—who presumably will not act without reference to conditions on the eastern front. Nothing in the history of the past year's hostilities, perhaps, has been more striking than the collaboration between the British and Americans. An American holds supreme command in the Mediterranean theatre of war, an Englishman in India, an American in the South-West Pacific. This morning comes "unofficial" news that a further step towards co-ordination has been made with the appointment of General George Marshall, the United States Army Chief of Staff, as "virtual global commander-in-chief of all Anglo-American ground, sea and air forces in the field." General Marshall is reported to have corroborated Mr. Churchill's prophecy of a second front: "the great offensive," he says, "in which the full strength of America's armed forces will be hurled against the enemy in Asia and Europe is just about to begin." It would be easy to dismiss these prophecies as essential elements in the *Nervenkrieg*, which is so important an element of total war; but everything points to the early opening of a major campaign, if not against Japan, at all events against the territory of Germany and her satellites. The number of Allied troops who have not yet been in action must run into millions—as the Russians are well aware—and only a fraction of the huge production of the American factories can have been as yet employed. Men and materials are not stored up for nothing.

Sweated Labour

Recently there was printed in this newspaper a letter as unexpected as a cry from the grave. The general public never thinks about the lawyer's clerk; and the clerk never obtrudes himself upon the public. To most people, he appears to be almost a part of the furniture of the inevitably drab office in which he is seen. In manner he is always retiring, in dress respectable; his age may be anything up to sixty; his knowledge of legal procedure, though varying in proportion to his age, is often as voluminous as that of any experienced practitioner. To regard the man as one of the needy classes appears to be unthinkable. Yet, as the letter of "Justicia" showed, hundreds of law clerks are paid less for their services than the rudest occasional labourer. The average salary of the 700 clerks in Dublin, many of whom have had up to forty years' experience, is about £2 10s. a week; in many cases it is considerably lower, in some as low as £1. Some of the examples quoted are worth mentioning again: "Clerk, employed 40 years in same office; married, with three children—salary £3 a week. Clerk, employed 45 years in same office; married; dismissed without pension, apparently on account of age—salary £2 10s. a week. Clerk, employed 40 years in same office; unmarried; dismissed at 63 years of age, with a lump sum of £30—salary £2 a week." The case is also given of a qualified solicitor, employed in the same office for seven years, at a salary of 30s. a week. It may be said with safety that such conditions would not be tolerated by any trade union. In Cork, where the clerks were organised, and an agreement was made with the Southern Bar Association, a minimum salary of £3 12s. 6d. is fixed for clerks with 10 years' experience, and a salary of £4 10s. if they are capable of acting, or are acting, as managing clerks. A bonus has been granted since the outbreak of war. These figures are not princely; but they are a minimum, and they are not beggarly. There is no reason why a similar arrangement should not be in force in Dublin, if the clerks were organised for joint negotiation. Of course, the employers are against any action for the union of the clerks—not only for the obvious reasons, but because they believe that unionism would open the door for incessant wrangling. The clerks play into the hands of their employers, for many of them are proud of their "professional" standing, and shrink from the obligations imposed by connection with a trade union. Nevertheless, it is clear that, unless the lawyers take the initiative in improving the salaries, the clerks will be forced to organise and fight. The duties of a law clerk are exacting. Upon him falls a great part of the work of the office, and he must have a wide and exact knowledge of legal procedure. An experienced clerk, like an army sergeant, is as often the guide as the follower of his superior. In addition, he must maintain a respectable appearance, in keeping with the standing of the office in which he is employed. It is only reasonable that such valuable employees should be entitled to a fair minimum salary with considerable increments as their value rises with years of service, and something more to look forward to, at the termination of their employment, than the old age pension. A union of the clerks would not be long in securing such conditions. We suggest that it would be an excellent idea for the lawyers to forestall any such action by binding themselves to a fair standard of remuneration. One is entitled to expect that law always will be coupled with justice.

LADY INCHIQUIN has arrived in Dublin from Dromoland, Co. Clare.

The Hon. Lady Mahon, accompanied by her son and daughter-in-law, Sir George and Lady Mahon, has arrived in Dublin from Castlegar, Ahascragh.

Sir Hervey Bruce, who arrived in Dublin from Co. Derry this week, has left for London.

Mrs. Eustace Duckett is staying in Dublin at present.

Mr. Shane Jameson has arrived in Dublin from Cappoquin, Co. Waterford.

Mrs. H. F. Kenny, of Eyrecourt, has left the Gresham Hotel for England, accompanied by her daughter.

Mr. P. J. Little, Minister for Posts and Telegraphs, has been seriously ill for some time past, but is now well on the road to recovery.

Dean Hynes, of University College, Galway, has arrived in Dublin.

Mrs. R. H. Walker has arrived in Dublin from Athboy.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Lillingstone have left Dublin.

Mrs. Murray Scott will spend the winter in England.

Lady Edith Windham will be in Dublin next month.

Dr. E. A. Keelan has returned to 55 Merrion square.

Doctor E. T. Freeman has returned to 22 Fitzwilliam square.

Dr. Alex Spain will be absent from 20 Fitzwilliam square until Tuesday, 28th.

Mr. E. L. Evans has returned to 35 Harcourt street.

Dr. Cecil Robinson has returned to 83 Harcourt street.

Switzers are showing attractive Shoes for Autumn, with the new hinged Wood Soles, at 35/- per pair; also a variety of smart styles in Blue and Brown flat-heel Suedes, from 25/9 per pair.

Leaders of Fashion in all Spectacle Wear. — Dixon and Hempenstall, Grafton street.

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Miss Dwyer, Cashel, at her wedding wore a dainty mist blue chiffon picture frock, with halo floral head-dress and shoulder veil by Marjorie Boland.

For her wedding Miss Tyndall, Naas, chose a smart powder blue two-piece by Marjorie Boland.

Miss Molly O'Donovan, Leap, Co. Cork, at her wedding wore a becoming turquoise two-piece, and going away a tan tailored suit. Trousseau by Marjorie Boland.

For her wedding Miss Judith Jeal, Harold's Cross, wore a picture frock in apricot chiffon, the bodice daintily beaded with gold beads, by Marjorie Boland, Ltd., 86 Grafton street, Dublin.

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Group photographed at Christ Church Cathedral, Dublin, after the consecration yesterday of the Very Rev. R. Mon. Boyd as Bishop of Killaloe. Seated: The Bishop of Killaloe and the Archbishop of Dublin. Behind are the Bishops of Tuam, Cashel, Cork and Kilmore.

CRUISKEENLAWN

By Myles na gCopaleen

I HAVE, as you know, a wide circle of friends. It is amusing to watch them when they gather in at night. Out comes the steel tape and the chalk and in no time they have the circle inscribed on my blue carpet. Then my priceless Sèvres chairs are placed round the circumference and there you are for the night—myself in the middle, a shy slight figure sitting on a stool in the blue kimono that is marked "Palm Beach Sports Club" and the French pouring out of me like oil out of a mammoth Ploesti gusher. At nine a plain meal of cocoa and hake is served, no table linen at all being used save my exquisite little mats of Chippendale lace. Supper over, I reach for my Guernerius a present from Kreisler and usually play an old Italian air. At ten to eleven—sometimes it is eleven or even later—I begin to froth at the mouth. My guests take this as a sign to withdraw. My wife then undresses me.

All my important decisions are taken in bed. I have, of course, been reading the newspapers in recent weeks and considering the tempo of events; I had no alternative at 2 a.m. on Wednesday last, but to make certain irrevocable determinations. The decisions recited below are announced and have immediate effect.

1. Lease of my villa at Ballybrophy must be determined, all pigs, horses and live-stock to be disposed of by public auction; my nephew Reggie to have the Landseer and a choice of two objects from my collection of ikons.

2. One of my flats in Paris (Département de la Seine) to be disposed of.

3. My subscription to the Knights not to be renewed and further pressure exerted on the Masons to get me into Guinness's, even as an assistant-vat-house-overseer's greaser. (£1,500 p.a. with apartments, light, fuel, medical attendance and two pints a day).

4. My agreement with the Bulgarian Secret Service to be terminated forthwith.

5. My frozen acids to be melted and offered to the Government for use in processes of urgent national importance.

6. In the event of my being got into Guinness's, application to be made to Kildare Street Club for membership on the grounds that I am a Southern Irish loyalist. (I am anxious to examine the window that was smashed by W. G. Grace with a slog to square leg from the Trinity playing fields in 1876).

7. No more Gaelic nonsense.

8. My house in Lad Lane to be bought out before the Corporation gets after me for creating a nuisance. (I'll get rid of the animal all right but—I mean—how can people who have no capital to buy their houses outright be expected to expel the humble porker from the basement? How about the rint?)

9. Absolutely no more truck with Communists.

10. Retire finally from unequal struggle with railway cretins.

11. Get the wife into a home.

Eleven simple points for a new order of life. My idea is to become useful . . . and good . . . . . and full of simple belief in humanity, a re-orientation of pig-breeding praxis, and the reform of our despicable monetary system. You see, I am thinking of becoming a reader of *The Standard*.

ON THE WIRELESS

IRISH PROGRAMME

1.0-1.40—Lunch Time Concert. 1.40—News and Stock Exchange. 1.45-2.30—Lunch Time Concert (continued). 6.0—Radio Eireann Orchestra. 6.40—Stock Exchange, Sports Results, Official Announcements. 6.45—News. 7.5—"Scamus and the Robber" Play for Children by Mairin Cregan. 7.25—Anglo-Irish Folk Songs, Tom McCauley. 7.40—"Father O'Growney": Talk by Rev. Dr. Dunne. 7.55—"Radio Omnibus," presented by Noel Hartnett and Harry Kennedy. 8.25—"The Four Trumps." 8.45—"An t-Aonach i Saoghal na nDaoine" Caint o Phadraig O Nuatain. 9.0—Sir Hugh Roberton and Glasgow Orpheus Choir. 9.40—Val Vousden (entertainer). 10.0—Nuacht. 10.10—News in English. 10.30—Robert Emmet Ceilidhe Octet and Mairin Ni Sheaghda (Amhrain).

B.B.C. PROGRAMMES

HOME SERVICE.

203.5 m. (1474 kc/s), 391.1 m. (767 kc/s), 449.1 m. (668 kc/s), 48.54 m. (6.18 mc/s).

7.0—News. 7.15—Brass Band. 7.30—Mendelssohn. 7.55—Prayers. 8.0—News. 8.15—Kitchen Front. 8.30—Marching and Waltzing. 9.0—Orchestra. 9.30—"Starlight." 9.45—Organ. 10.15—"Small Change." 10.30—Rhythmic Records. 11.0—Orchestra. 11.45—Gramophone. 12.0—Band. 12.30—Jack Payne. 1.0—News. 1.15—"Greetings from Home." 1.45—Organ. 2.0—Records. 2.30—"Southern Serenade." 3.0—Music While You Work. 3.30—Orchestra. 4.15—Records. 4.45—Girls' Band. 5.30—Records of some Piano Transcriptions. 6.0—News. 6.30—"Aircraftman Smith Entertains." 7.0—"The World Goes By." 7.30—Albert Sandler Trio. 7.45—Boxing. 9.0—News. 9.25—Radio Fadre. 9.40—Band. 10.15—Story. 10.30—Music While You Work. 11.0—Close down.

ALTERNATIVE SERVICE.

296.1 m. (1013 kc/s), 342.1 m. (877 kc/s).

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ITALIANS AND KING

The Italian Legation in Stockholm has declared that it recognises no Government other than that authorised by King Victor Emmanuel.—(Reuter.)

BISHOP OF KILLALOE'S CONSECRATION

The Archbishop of Dublin yesterday consecrated the Very Rev. Robert McNeill Boyd, B.D., M.C., as Bishop of Killaloe, Kilfenora, Clonfert and Kilmacduagh, in Christ Church Cathedral, Dublin, that being the Metropolitan Cathedral of the Southern Province of the Church of Ireland. The Archbishop was assisted by the Bishops of Cashel, Cork, Tuam and Kilmore, and the sermon was preached by the new bishop's old friend of college days, Canon E. H. F. Campbell, M.A., who recalled that the bishop had served with distinction as a Chaplain of the Forces in the last great war.

A very large congregation had assembled.

Taking for his text Acts v., 40-42, beginning: "And when they had called the Apostles and beaten them," Canon Campbell said that he had chosen it as a description of the general life and work of the Apostles, the predecessors of their bishops today. The text was a picture of the discomfort and persecution over which the first bishops had triumphed gloriously.

Canon Campbell recalled how the Christian Ministry gradually had developed, and said that the source of its service lay in great antiquity, bringing them back to early New Testament times. He spoke of the general nature of the life and work of a bishop of the Church of Ireland, and of the nature of that life and work in the Church of Ireland as they saw it to-day, and said that they sometimes forgot the burden that rested on the men who held the office of bishop, and who should often be in their prayers.

A Communion Service followed the consecration.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

"HOMES WANTED"

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—For many months the person responsible for your planning and reconstruction columns has, very properly, been insisting on the necessity for a bold housing programme. There has been evident a strong bias against flats as a form of housing relief. In to-day's leading article this person goes so far as to recommend "an absolute ban" on block flats. Those who are not only sympathetic to the urgent slum-clearance and housing demands of this city, but who are also acquainted by travel, study and practical experience with the several solutions for these problems, are growing weary of your contributor's extreme point of view. It has been dealt with many times elsewhere.

However, once more, it should be pointed out that the crazy extravagance of block flats as we know them in Dublin is due in the main to the ignorance and prejudice of our housing authority. So long as concrete is used as if it were stone, and left un-colour-washed like stone, and so long as the word "simplify" is left out of the housing authority's departmental vocabulary, so long as those responsible do the ostrich act and refuse to adapt and modify the housing experience of countries like America, Sweden and Switzerland, so long shall the ratepayers finance drab, clumsy block flats, extravagant through lack of imagination and resourcefulness in construction and design.

The most important factor in all reconstruction efforts is, surely, the fostering of local community happiness. Community centres are more happily organised in "flatted areas" where, within easy reach of a large number of children and adults, are allotments, parks, playgrounds, social and shopping centres. Flats within the cleared city areas, and cottages without, plus modest transport costs to suit the worker—this is the three-fold preventative measure as well as cure for those disease-ridden hovels.—Yours, etc.,

MARGOT MOFFETT.

5 Herbert place, Dublin,
September 20th, 1943.

"GARDENS AS PLAYGROUNDS"

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Commander Coote's letter in your issue of September 20th is based on a short extract from a paper on town planning read by me at the Conference of Municipal Authorities at Wexford. The short statement was qualified by the following:—

"Whilst making these plans for the future carrying out of the necessary reforms, it is realised that under present conditions of urban life play centres must be maintained until provision of adequate housing schemes eliminates the necessity for same."

I hold very strongly, indeed, that in Christian society the family system forms the basis of all social and political life; so it follows that living conditions conducive to a happy, contented family life should be the major aim of civilisation. Any influence, anything that tends to disintegrate family life, rather than to consolidate the relationship between the members of the family, must be evil. The home should be the centre of family life to which each member looks forward to returning. Overcrowding destroys, or tends to destroy, scales of values, and to substitute artificial for natural pleasures. The greatest pleasures in life are the simplest, and provision should be made in all housing for space adequate for the family pleasures, and no substitute has, so far, been found for the private garden. Lack of the garden does away with the possibility of the family's leisure time being shared with the parents and spent under parental control. The infants are sent to a creche, young children play in the streets, or go through the streets to the play centre or playground.

And what a commentary on the social system, which purports to be Christian, that attractive playgrounds must be prepared and laid out to bring children, even infants, away from their homes to pass their leisure hours, apart from parents and parental control. The ages, from infancy to, at any rate, 6 or 7 years, are the most important for establishing of proper parental discipline and control. In addition, the provision of extraneous aids of this type to child welfare tends to reduce the responsibility of the parents.—Yours, etc.,

R. DONNELLY.

63 and 64 Upper O'Connell street, Dublin,
September 20th, 1943.

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Morning	6.56	8.12
Evening	7.28	8.40

LONDON LETTER

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
TUESDAY NIGHT.

AUSTRALIA has developed, after years of experiment in the laboratories of the Commonwealth Council for Scientific and Industrial Research, a first-class "tropical spread" butter, which will not melt in tropical heat and remains firm despite high summer temperatures. It is packed in 1lb. cans and sealed under vacuum. An official of the Australian High Commissioner's Office explained to-night that "tropical spread" is of the highest value to troops in tropical climates in war-time, and that they plan to tap rich new civilian markets in the post-war years. "Tropical spread" costs at present one-quarter more than ordinary butter. It is obtained by dehydrating creamery butter and extracting from it the pure butter fat. The butter fat is boiled and to it is added a small quantity of salt, skim milk powder, flavouring and 19 per cent. of hydrogenated butter fat to increase the melting point to 105 F.

Communal Restaurants

The London County Council now operates no fewer than 239 communal feeding restaurants, and many of them, including a new one at Windsor House, Westminster, serve over 1,000 meals a day. There is little doubt that these restaurants and the new canteens installed in tens of thousands of factories will not be abolished even if the food situation improves following the war. The Board of Education has started a two-year training course for girls who wish to manage communal feeding establishments and industrial canteens, and classes begin all over the country this month. Girls who complete the course are to be paid a starting wage of £3 10s. a week as probationer manageresses.

Liverpool Mayoralty

Mentioned as a likely nominee for the Lord Mayoralty of Liverpool, Alderman Austin Hartford has been an Alderman since 1914, and was for many years Leader of the Liverpool Irish Party. Alderman Hartford has been on the City Council for forty-five years, and was deputy-chairman of the Housing Committee for eighteen. In his younger days he achieved considerable fame as an amateur actor, deputising in Sarah Bernhardt's company and in Cyril Maude productions.

Duchess Boatbuilder

The Duchess of Norfolk, who has three daughters under five, has become a voluntary afternoon worker at a boat-building yard near her Arundel Castle home. She is engaged on wood filling, and, with her sister-in-law, expects to become a "full-timer" later. In the mornings she devotes her time to the management of her training stables at Arundel Park, rising at 6 a.m. to be out riding in gallops before eight.

New Jams

Lesser-known jams, including quince, pear, guava, tomato and fig, imported from South Africa and of a higher standard than home-produced war-time jams, are available under Lord Woolton's doubled jam ration scheme, which begins to-day. Instead of the normal allowance of 1lb. a head a month ration, book-holders can buy 2lb. a head for the next three months.

AN IRISHMAN'S DIARY

Templeogue Yesterday—

Templeogue, Co. Dublin, is decidedly a place with a past. Here, in the early days of the eighteenth century flourished the Templeogue Spa, which drew the nobility and gentry of Dublin in such numbers, and with them, of course, the ladies, to whom, if we are to believe the fashionable intelligence of the day, the Spa water offered attractions of a very special nature.

In the June of 1712 we find Swift writing in a letter to Mrs. Dingley: "But I can't go to Tunbridge, or anywhere else out of the way, in this juncture. So Ppt designs for Templeoag (what a name is that!) Whereabouts is that place? I hope not very far from Dublin."

That was, I take it, written at the time when the Spa had not yet become famous, but within the next 20 or 30 years it had gained such notoriety that an enterprising publisher saw fit to publish a weekly paper under the title of *The Templeogue Intelligencer*, and in 1733 Richard Pockrich, the poet, and inventor of the musical glasses, printed his booklet, The Temple Oge Ballad "at the Cherry Tree, Rathfarnham."

—and To-day

Here, too, a hundred years later the handsome author of Harry Lorrequer, and his companions revelled and "drank deep." And to-day a friend has sent me a leaflet which would seem to give a promise that Templeogue is about to resume its literary associations; for it tells us that The Bridge Press, Templeogue, Co. Dublin, is about to publish "As the Crow Flies," a lyric play in six scenes, by Austin Clarke.

For those who had the pleasure of listening-in to the recent broadcast of the play from 2RN, it is not necessary to enlarge on its merits, but the leaflet informs us that: "As the edition is limited to 175 copies, early application is advisable."

So write at once to The Bridge Press and secure your copy before the book has become as unprocurable as a copy of *The Templeogue Intelligencer!*

For the Hard Road

Golfers of all ages and all shades of proficiency will join to congratulate Ned Bradshaw on his victory last Sunday at Elm Park.

Ned has been professional at Delgany for well over thirty years, and, although he still is as sprightly as ever, he has reached that stage in life when he is entitled to the title of veteran. He does not play much competitive golf nowadays; but his performance on Sunday proves that he still can hold his own with the best of the youngsters; and the fact that he beat the famous Harry, gross as well as net, will cause much comment in golfing circles.

Ned Bradshaw is the father of a golfing family, of whom the best-known, of course, is Harry, the Kilcroney "pro," whom it seemed quite impossible to beat until his father showed them all how it could be done!

There are five of them altogether—Ned, who in more respects than one, is the daddy of them all; Harry, who has become a kind of *ex officio* Irish champion; Eddie, who assists his father at Delgany; Hughie, who is developing into a tremendously long hitter, and Jimmie, the baby of the family, who can hole Delgany out in bogey, and plays off a handicap of ten.

A Quintette

I have played with and against them all. I am no golfing expert, but in my very humble opinion the most stylish and finished golfer of the quintette is Father Ned.

Harry has his own methods, and they certainly work; but watch Ned Bradshaw playing an iron shot or showing you how it ought to be done, and you will see an artist at work. Eddie, junior, also has a lovely style; Hughie is temperamental, but when he hits that ball he hits it well and truly; Jimmie is inclined to be sedate, but watch him when anywhere within a hundred yards of the pin. One of these days you are going to hear more of this young gentleman.

Father Ned was playing first-class golf before many of those whom he beat at Elm Park were born. I hope, now that he has shown what he can do, that he will continue to butt in occasionally just to show the young fellows that they do not know everything.

Incidentally, I think that he can boast with some pride that his greens at Delgany are at least as good as any in the Dublin area.

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IRISH NEWS IN BRIEF

Heavy Fines on Tipperary Traders.—At Tipperary yesterday, Patrick Fanning, Bank place, Tipperary, was fined £50 on excessive charging summonses; and Mrs. Ellen Moloney, Inver, Lattin, £50 for making a false return in regard to tea stocks, and £20 for failure to fill forms.

Failed to Display Price List.—Mrs. Anna Nemeth, Summerhill, was fined £2 by District Justice Moloney, in Dublin yesterday, for failing to display in her premises a price list as required by Emergency Powers Order.

Fatal Fall from Lorry.—While attempting to alight from a lorry while the vehicle was in motion, James Corcoran (28), unmarried, The Mullagh, Kilcock, fell to the ground and received fatal injuries. Inquest verdict, accidental death.

Tote Tickets Altered.—At Kilmainham yesterday, before District Justice Reddin, Patrick Moylan (40), no fixed address, was sentenced to two months' imprisonment for endeavouring to obtain £1 from the Totalisator Co. at Phœnix Park races on Saturday last by altering Tote tickets.

Jail for Travel Permit Offence.—Edward McCann, Lr. Kevin street, was sent to prison for 14 days by District Justice Lennon, in Dublin yesterday, for giving false information at the Travel Permit Office, Palace street, with a view to obtaining a travel permit to go to England.

Clonbarron Stud Farm.—The Stud Farm, Clonbarron, Athboy, Co. Meath, which was purchased last week by Mr. A. P. Reynolds from Mr. T. P. McIvor, is of 245 acres, and has gallops of five and six furlongs and 1½ miles.

False Pretences Charge.—Michael Delaney (24), Lower Sackville street, was returned for trial by District Justice Moloney, in Dublin Court yesterday, charged with having obtained board and lodging by false pretences to the amount of £50, from Mrs. M. Barton, at 88 Grove Park.

Three Months for Cycle Theft.—Michael McGowan (46), no fixed address, was sent to prison for three months by District Justice Hannan, in Dublin yesterday, for breaking and entering a garage at the rear of 63 Lower Drumcondra road and stealing a bicycle, the property of Dorothy Dunne.

Bray Services.—Harvest Services were held on last Sunday and Monday. The preachers on Sunday were Revs. W. T. Clarke and Alfred Collins, and the soloists Miss Wolfe and Mr. W. English. At the Praise Service on Monday Mr. F. W. Elliott presided, and the address was given by Rev. J. Lynham Cairnes.

Dundalk Bonus Claim.—An application for a standard rate and a bonus order was made by the Irish Union of Distributive Workers and Clerks, on behalf of seven assistants and clerical workers of Messrs. Lipton, Ltd., Dundalk, at a sitting of the Wages Advisory Tribunal, held at the buildings of Industry and Commerce, Dublin, yesterday.

No Right to be Heard by Letter.—When renewals of dance hall licences in the district were applied for at Muinebheag, District Justice O'Shea refused to consider a report from the Acting County Surveyor regarding structural and sanitary improvements, because the County Manager was not legally represented. The County Manager, he said, had no right to be heard in court by letter. The applications were granted.

"ROMEO AND JULIET" AT THE CAPITOL

There was another big audience in the Capitol Theatre, Dublin, last night for the Dublin Operatic Society's production of Gounod's "Romeo and Juliet." James Henry, who is the producer, has gone far to create an atmosphere worthy of the immortal lovers. Francis Russell and Ruth Naylor are a grand pair in the title parts, and they are supported by a first-rate team.

To-night—"Rigoletto."

IRISH WILLS

Mrs. Eleanor Lydia Grimes, of 43 Carysfort avenue, Blackrock, Co. Dublin—£8,667.

Mrs. Eleanor Robinson, of Chine Crescent, Bournemouth, Hampshire, widow of Henry Robinson, late of Belfast—£8,429.

OBITUARY

REV. J. C. JOHNSTON

The Rev. J. C. Johnston, M.A., D.D., who died yesterday at Ballygawley, Co. Tyrone, was senior minister of the Abbey Presbyterian Church, Dublin. He retired from active duties in 1927, after a ministry of 47 years. One of his sons is the Rev. J. W. Johnston, of Townsend street, Belfast, and another is an army chaplain. His daughter is the wife of Mr. J. C. MacDermott, Northern Ireland Attorney-General.

FUNERAL

MR. ALEXANDER STRAIN

There was a very large attendance at Abbey Presbyterian Church yesterday, for the funeral of Mr. Alexander Strain, Fermore Park, Glasnevin, a much respected member of the congregation. The Service was conducted by the Rev. R. C. Elliott, B.A., and the funeral took place immediately afterwards to Dean's Grange Cemetery, where Mr. Elliott again officiated at the Committal Service.

The chief mourners were: Mrs. Strain (widow); Mrs. Atock, Mrs. Linzell, Mrs. Phillips and Mrs. Murison (daughters); Mrs. Millington (sister-in-law); Mr. W. Murison (son-in-law); Mr. S. Millington (nephew).

The funeral arrangements were carried out by Messrs. J. and C. Nichols, Lombard street, Dublin.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

Announcements in this Column (which, in all cases must be authenticated) are charged at the rate of 1/- per line (minimum 3/-).

BIRTHS.

CORBETT—September 7, 1943, to wife of R. John H. Corbett, Glas House, Gorey, Co. Wexford, a

MACKEN—September 10, 1943, Bride's Private Nursing Home, way, to Pegsy, wife of Walter M a son (Liltan Joseph).

WELLS-KELLY—September 9, 19 a private nursing home, Lond Eleanor, wife of Ernest Wells (formerly of 16 Oakley road; gift of a son.

MARRIAGES.

HECARTY and HARFORD—Sept 1, 1943, at University C Stephen's Green, Dublin (with N Massi, by the Rev. J. Hegarty, The Cathedral, Cork (brother o bridegroom), James P., son of M Mrs. Timothy Hegarty, Baxton Sunday's Well, Cork, to Eli Mary (Elsie) Harford, Du daughter of the late Mr. and Richard Harford, Malahide, Co. I

PEACOCK and TODD—Septemb 1943, at Ormond Quay and Presbyterian Church, Dublin, b Rev. T. Byers, M.A., Albert F., yc son of Mrs. A. S. Peacock and late William J. Peacock, Belfa Mary Ethel, eldest daughter o William F. Todd and of the late Todd, Dublin.

DIAMOND WEDDING.

KEOGH and PLASTO—Septembe 1883, at Dublin, Patrick J Keogh to Marianne Plasto, Eagl Strandville avenue, Clontarf.

MARTIN and HOMAN—September 11, 1943, at Holy Trinity Church, Killiney, by the Revd. Canon Barker, M.A.; Victor Hartley, youngest son of Mr. J. B. Martin and the late Mrs. Martin, 37 College Green, to Ada Miriam, twin daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. Homan, the White Cottage, Killiney, Co. Dublin.

PETERS and PINKERTON—September 1, 1943, in Ormond Quay and Scots Presbyterian Church, by the Very Rev. W. M. Kennedy, D.D., and the Rev. Francis Wilson (uncles of the bridegroom), and the Rev. T. Byers, M.A., John Arnold son of Mr. and Mrs Samuel Peters, 25 Merton avenue, Dublin, to Jessie Turnbull, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Pinkerton, 27 Harold road, Dublin.

DEATHS

HUDSON—September 18, 1943, Ada Margret, beloved wife of Colonel Noel Hudson, Newby, Virginia Water, Surrey, and dearly-loved sister of Kathleen Bardon, Glenaros, Dartry road.

JOHNSTON—September 21, 1943, at Ard-na-Grena, Augher, Co. Tyrone, the Rev. J. C. Johnston, M.A., D.D., Senior Minister, The Abbey Church, Dublin. Funeral Service at Ballygawley Presbyterian Church to-morrow (Thursday), September 23, at 3.15 p.m.

LANE-JOYNT—September 19, 1943, at her residence, Beech Lodge, Warrenpoint, Nora, wife of the late Alfred Lane-Joynt. Funeral private. No flowers.

NEWETT—September 21, 1943, at her residence, Janeville, Dunleer, Elizabeth, relict of W. H. Newett, in her 77th year. "Peace, perfect peace." Service in Dunleer Church to-morrow (Thursday) at 2.30 o'clock (S.T.), thence to Stabannon Cemetery.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this Column will be found on Page 3.

MONTH'S MIND.

COYLE—Requiem Mass for the repose of the soul of Ignatius Coyle, M.Sc., will be celebrated in the Ignatian Chapel of St. Francis Xavier's Church, Gardiner street, Dublin, on Friday, 24th September, 1943, at 10 a.m.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

BOOTH—The family of the late Mrs. Emily Booth wish to thank sincerely all who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement, also those who sent wreaths and attended the funeral, and trust this will be accepted in grateful acknowledgment.

IN MEMORIAM.

APLIN—Second Anniversary—September 22nd, 1941. Cherished memories of my beloved husband Captain Thomas E. Aplin, killed at sea, September, 1941. Till we meet again. Love's greatest gift is remembrance.—Inserted by his loving wife and children.

BOYLE—Fifth Anniversary—Inserted by D. M. Boyle in memory of his beloved wife Hannah, who departed this life on 22nd September, 1938. Interred at Celbridge.

MANNING—In loving memory of Ted—22nd September, 1941—Carmen.

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LOST AND FOUND.

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LOST, 10th Sept., in city or 'bus, Ciro Clip; good reward. Box H 161.

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CAPABLE Hardware Assistant Wtd. for provincial town, outdoor; state experience and refs. Box Z 13467, Assistant.

COOK or Chef required for hotel; experience essential; copies of refs. Box H 124.

DENTAL Mechanic or good Improver, city, Wtd. Box H 180.

EXPD. Bookkeeper Cashier for Boot & Shoe Store. Box H 223.

GIRLS for Picture Framing Workshop; used to fitting up.—Combridge, Grafton street.

GIRL as Assistant Book-keeper; knowledge of shorthand, good refs.—Combridge, Grafton street.

HOUSEKEEPER Cook required for small adult family, modern house in Wexford; must be first-class cook; good wages. Apply, with copy refs., to Box Z 13458, Cook.

HOTEL—Young Lady, expd. Assistant Bookkeeper, required, first class hotel (Dublin); typist, dispense bar; indoor; permanency. Apply, giving full particulars, age, etc., Box 892.

HOUSEKEEPER Reqd., Dublin Flat, good cook & refs.; single gentleman. Box H 167.

LADY Book-keeper required by merchants in Southern city, capable of taking complete charge. Applicants must be quick and accurate at figures and able to type. None but thoroughly competent and experienced book-keepers need apply. Reply, enclosing copies refs., stating age, experience, salary required, etc., Box Z 13420.

LADY, with 2 schoolgirls and 1 baby, requires cheerful Protestant Mother's Help; maid kept; Rathgar district; good refs. essential. Box H 843.

LADY required, Protestant, age 45-48; must understand housekeeping, cooking and supervision of staff; good home, good salary; enclose photo. Box Z 13458, Lady.

MILLINERY and Mantles—Smart young Lady as Charge. Apply, stating age, exp., and enclose copies of refs, and salary reqd., Manager, D. Cameron, Ltd., Longford.

POST Office Assistant, Protestant; able to take charge; state experience and salary expt'd. (indoor). Box Z 13443.

REFINED Person as Compn.-Help for elderly lady; send partics. Box Z 13520, Help.

RELIABLE Housekeeper Wtd. for city flat; woman with daughter would suit; C.I.; good refs. required. Box Z 13480, Housekeeper.

SALESMAN—Wtd., expd. Salesman for responsible position in Gent.'s Outfitting; Protestant; state terms and send copy refs. Box Z 13515, Salesman.

WTD., expd. Packers and Sorters for large Dublin Laundry. Box G 1312.

WTD., competent Assistant (I.C.) for high class Grocery and Provisions; outdoor; good wages and comfortable position; with prospects; large provincial town; send copies of refs. and state age. Box Z 13566.

WTD., a Working Steward (Protestant), married, for an estate in the South; one with knowledge of carpentry preferred; good house, wages and perquisites to suitable man. Box Z 13460, Steward.

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WTD. for first class Hotel near Dublin, Chef with Continental experience. Apply, enclosing copies refs., to Box Z 13455, Chef.

WTD. for Dun Laoghaire district, young woman as companion for elderly lady, light duties; comfortable home. Box Z 13457, Dun Laoghaire.

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WTD., Working Gardener, outdoor; married man preferred; Dun Laoghaire district. Box Z 13478, Gardener.

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MISCELLANEOUS

MRS. FRANCES THOMPSON, Deceased.—Any persons having claims against the Estate of the abovenamed, who died in Bundoran on 18th September, 1943, please forward them to TERENCE DE VERE WHITE, Solicitor, 21 Nassau street, Dublin.

A FIRST Class Head Waiter Required for Leading City Hotel. Apply, stating age; experience and salary expected, to Box G 1311.

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WTD., Dun Laoghaire district, Home Knitters (wool supplied); good remuneration.—430, Irish Times Branch Office, Dun Laoghaire.

WTD., smart Assistant for Ladies' Hosiery Dept.; state religion, exp. and salary expected, indoor. Box Z 13516, Assistant.

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DISENGAGED, plain Gardener, Chauffeur, no family; work small place; lodge required; excellent references. Box 2706, Irish Times Branch Office, Cork.

GARDENER Handyman (married, expd. all branches, desires country; assist generally; highest recommendations; state terms. Apply to Hennessy, Newtown, Kells, Co. Kilkenny.

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LADY, middle-aged, Protestant, desires no post, Companion Help; light duties; no salary. Replies Box Z 13481, Comp. Help.

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